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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

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Invention Title  
IMMORTALIZED, HOMOZYGOUS STAT1-  
DEFICIENT MAMMALIAN CELL LINES AND  
THEIR USES

Inventor(s)  
LEVY et al.

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Applicant respectfully requests a one month extension of time in which to respond to the office action dated December 21, 1998, for which a response period expiring on March 21, 1999 was set. The extended period expires on April 21, 1999.

1. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) extension fee of **\$55.00** to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon**, deposit account number **11-0600**. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment in connection with this paper to Deposit Account No. 11-0600.
2. A duplicate copy of this form is enclosed.

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